Bangalore.
Dt.30th November 1961.

From:-

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To

The Chief Security Officer,
Sundram Motors Private Ltd.,
2 & 2 A. Kasturba Road,
Bangalore-1.

Sir,

Being given to understand that some vacancies exist in the Watch and Ward Establishment, I beg to submit this my application for any vacant post judging from the attached copies of testimonials.

I have served in many capacities in some of the Commercial Firms in Burma, also as a guard in the Burma Railways, but owing to the Japanese Bombing in Burma in 1942, all my property including testimonials were destroyed by fire, hence it is regretted that I am unable to furnish copies of testimonials for services rendered there.

I was evacuated to India in April 1942 and on 14th May'42. enlisted in the 2nd Welch Regiment, Bangalore. I served for a total of 5 years and 288 days from 14.5.42 to 25-2-48 and held the following appointments during that time:-

In-charge Receipts & Issues, Rawalpindi Arsenal, May to November 1942.

In-charge Barrack Group, Central Ordnance Depot, Cawnpore, November 42 to August '43.

Store Holder, Tentage Ordnance Depot, Shakurbusti (7 miles out of New Delhi) August 1943 to October 1944.

Warrant Officer i/c Break-up Yard, Ordnance Depot, Whitefield, November 1944 to November 1945.

Warrant Officer i/c Ordnance Rail Head Detachment, Salem, December 1945 to June 1946.

Warrant Officer i/c Return Stores Depot, Alwadi(Avadi), ~~January~~ July 1946 to September 1946.

British Ordnance Warrant Officer (BOWO) No.1. India Corps, Kammaredi (75 miles from Secunderabad), September 1946 to December 1947. (Termination of British Service).

I was released at Secunderabad on 25-2-1948.

Since my release I have held many temporary posts, my last appointment being that of a Yard Supervisor with Messrs. T.I.Cycles of India, Ambattur near Madras, where I served from 9.8.1954 to 28-2-1961.

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Apart from being in charge of timber, salvage and swarf yard and fire service, I was responsible for the hiring of all casual labour and the delegation of their duties covering the complete overall, cleanliness of the Works and surrounding areas, but was superannuated and retired on 28.2.1961 in accordance with the Company's Standing Orders as I was 55 years of age at the time though physically fit and active enough to serve for at least another 5 years, but the Company's Standing Orders being such, no exception could be made for an extension and I had to leave.

I would like to emphasise that I am of robust health and as active as the average young man and in a position to carry out even strenous work.

I pray that my application please be considered sympathetically as I have no one to depend on nor have I any means of support other than work for a living.

In the event of my being successful, I promise faithfully to do my best to give entire satisfaction to my superiors.

Thanking you in anticipation of a favourable reply,

Yours faithfully,

(P. J. SCHOURY.)